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FM AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

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INFO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: ETRD, EGEN, PFOR, NG

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT DIORI VISITS WEST AFRICAN CAPITALS

REF: NIAMEY 1226

PRESIDENT DIORI DEPARTED NIAMEY MAY 15 FOR NINE- DAY VISIT TO SIX WEST AFRICAN CAPITALS IN HIS CAPACITY AS PRESIDENT OF CEAO. HIS ITINERARY INCLUDES LAGOS, COTONOU, LOME, ACCRA, ABIDJAN AND OUAGADOUGOU. IN AIRPORT INTERVIEW HE DESCRIBED PURPOSE OF VISITS ALONG GENERAL LINES REFTEL, NAMELY TO EXCHANGE VIEWS CONCERNING WEST AFRICAN COOPERATION AND UNION AS WELL AS TO DISPEL ERRONEOUS IDEAS WHICH HAVE ARISEN CONCERNING CEAO. HE MADE SPECIAL POINT OF EXPRESSING QUOTE DESIRE TO REASSURE NIGERIA, DAHOMEY, TOGO AND GHANA OF THE UNCLASSIFIED

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SINCERITY OF THE CEAO UNQUOTE. PRESIDENT DIORI IS ACCOMPANIED BY CHEIK IBRAHIM FALL, SECRETARY- GENERAL OF THE CEAO. MCCLELLAND

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